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Application Number	09/888,291
Filing Date	June 21, 2001
First Named Inventor	ROSTON, Gerald P. et al.
Art Unit	2837
Examiner Name	RO, Bentu
Attorney Docket Number	IMM070A.RE

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<p>1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114</p> <p>Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).</p>	
<p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.</p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____</p> <p>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>	
<p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed</p> <p>i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply</p> <p>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)</p> <p>iii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)</p> <p>iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>	
<p>2. Miscellaneous</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required)</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>	
<p>3. Fees</p> <p>The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed.</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. <u>16-1435</u></p> <p>i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) 08/25/2003 RCE 00030076 03061291</p> <p>ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17) 08/25/2003 FEE 00030076 130.00 1P</p> <p>iii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other IDS Fee</p> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check in the amount of \$ <u>930</u> & <u>\$174</u>, enclosed</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p>	

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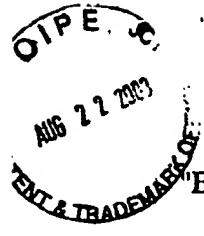
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Deposit Account Name Kilpatrick Stockton LLP

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity				
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description		Fee Paid	
1001 750	2001 375	Utility filing fee			
1002 330	2002 165	Design filing fee			
1003 520	2003 260	Plant filing fee			
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue filing fee			
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee			
SUBTOTAL (1)				(6) 0	

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
39	-33 **	= 6	X 18	= 108
5	-4 **	= 1	X 84	= 84
			X 0	= 0
SUBTOTAL (2)				(6) 192

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity				
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description		Fee Paid	
1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification			
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for reexamination			
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month			
1252 410	2252 205	Extension for reply within second month			
1253 930	2253 465	Extension for reply within third month			
1254 1,450	2254 725	Extension for reply within fourth month			
1255 1,970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month			
1401 320	2401 160	Notice of Appeal			
1402 320	2402 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1403 280	2403 140	Request for oral hearing			
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute an IAA proceeding			
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
1453 1,300	2453 650	Petition to revive - unintentional			
1501 1,300	2501 650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
1502 470	2502 235	Design issue fee			
1503 630	2503 315	Plant issue fee			
1460 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (c)			
1808 160	1808 160	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			180
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
1809 750	2809 375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
1810 750	2810 375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
1801 750	2801 375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			750
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			
Other fee (specify) _____					

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